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FOR PETER TARNOFF FROM SULLIVAN

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: APER
SUBJ: MESSAGE FOR SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO SECRETARY OF DEFENSE HAROLD BROWN BY MOST DISCREET MEANS AVAILABLE.

2. QUOTE. AFTER DELIBERATE CONSIDERATION AND DISCUSSION WITH CY VANCE, I HAVE CONCLUDED THAT I CAN BETTER SERVE THE PRESIDENT BY REMAINING AS AMBASSADOR TO IRAN RATHER THAN BECOMING UNDER-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT I REMAIN SINCERELY FLATTERED BY YOUR SUGGESTION AND BY YOUR CONFIDENCE THAT I COULD HAVE BEEN OF ASSISTANCE TO YOU IN THE ADMIRABLY EFFECTIVE JOB YOU ARE DOING IN REVISING THE NATION'S DEFENSE POSTURE. WARMEST REGARDS, BILL SULLIVAN. UNQUOTE.

3. FYI. DURING SECURE LINE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION MARCH 13, SECRETARY ENDORSED THIS DECISION. REGARDS.
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